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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re: Application of: Bernd STOCK
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Application No. PCT/EP2004/008742, which was
filed on August 4, 2004

For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR DEVICE-
INDEPENDENT DETERMINATION OF
COORDINATES OF A POINT DISPLAYED BY
MEANS OF A MICROSCOPE

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests that the following Amendments be made in the above-identified matter prior to examination thereof: